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VLADIVOSTOK FLEET DESTROYED

An Early Morning Encounter in Strait of Korea—One Russian Cruiser Sunk—Tokio Rejoices Over Two Great Naval Victories.

Tokio, Aug. 15.—Vice Admiral Kamimura encountered the Russian Vladivostok squadron at dawn Sunday north of Ten Island in the Strait of Korea and attacked the enemy at once. The battle lasted for five hours and resulted in a complete Japanese victory. The Russian cruiser Rurik was sunk and the cruisers Rossia and Gromoboi fled to the northward after having sustained serious damage.

Vice Admiral Kamimura cables the navy department that the injuries inflicted upon his vessels were slight.

The fates of the crew of the Rurik is not known. It is presumed that many of them were killed or drowned. The strength of the fleet under Vice Admiral Kamimura is not known, but it is presumed that he had the Aduma, Idumo, Iwate, Takashio and other light cruisers.

Tokio is joyous over the news, as it gives Japan mastery of the sea and restores commerce.

Tokio, Aug. 15.—Flags are flying, lanterns are glimmering and cries of "Banzai" are ringing in the streets of Tokyo in honor of the victories gained at sea by Admiral Togo and Vice Admiral Kamimura.

Underneath the jollity of the population there is a feeling of deep satisfaction at the disposal of a desperately serious problem of the war.

PORT ARTHUR DOOMED.

More Japanese Men There and More Guns Are Mounted.

Chefoo, Aug. 15.—A telegram just received here from a reliable source states that a general attack on Port Arthur began at 4 o'clock this morning.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—A dispatch from Mukden states that the Japanese Port Arthur army has been largely reinforced and has taken up position in two large bodies, one on the heights between Lungwangtao and Pigeon bay, and the other on the hills near Lousha bay. Guns have also been placed on the heights east of the Wolf hills.

JAPAN EXPLAINS.

Reason Why Russian Destroyer Was Seized in Chefoo Harbor.

Tokio, Aug. 15.—The navy department has issued the following statement covering the Chefoo incident:

"According to reports received to date the Arashiwo and Kusunagi, belonging to the first destroyer flotilla, Captain Fujimoto commanding, were dispatched in search of the enemy's ships scattered during the engagement on the night of Aug. 10. They found a vessel resembling one of the enemy's destroyers and gave chase but lost her in the darkness."

"Continuing the search, they discovered that she had entered the port of Chefoo. Captain Fujimoto, anticipating its escape during the night, if possible to attack merchant vessels, entered Chefoo with the two destroyers and found the Russian destroyer Ryeshitani remaining unharmed."

"Lieut. Terashima was then sent to the Russian vessel with a message to the effect that the Japanese commander expected him to leave by dawn or surrender. The Russian commander refused to comply with either demand, and while the conference was still going on he was heard instructing his men to blow up the ship. At the same time he caught hold of Lieut. Terashima and threw him overboard. Our interpreter was next thrown overboard by some Russian sailors. While this was progressing the forward magazine exploded, killing some of our men. We then captured the destroyer and retired."

"Our loss by the explosion was one man killed and four men mortally wounded. Lieut. Terashima, our interpreter and nine others of the boarding party were wounded."

Russia Protests.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—By command of the emperor, Foreign Minister Lamsdoff has instructed M. Nelidoff, the Russian ambassador at Paris, to request that France, on behalf of Russia, shall lodge a strong protest with the French minister at Tokyo, M. Harmand, against what is described as an outrageous violation of Chinese neutrality and of universally recognized principles of international law involved in the Japanese attack on the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Ryeshitani in a neutral harbor.

Ten Persons Drowned.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Ten persons were drowned as the result of the capsizing of a naphtha launch on the Potomac river, off Georgetown, the western section of this city during the annual Potomac regatta. Four others who were on the launch escaped.

THEY WERE DROWNED.

Fate of Detroit Lads Determined by Finding of Body.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 15.—That Percy R. Bowen and Harrison S. Welton, two Detroit young men, were drowned off the yacht Rambler last Tuesday morning six miles below Amherstburg on the Canadian side, is now a certainty, for Sunday morning the remains of the former floated ashore directly opposite the spot where the young man was drowned.

Last night the body was brought to Detroit. Nothing has been found of the remains of young Welton. According to the story of a farmer who saw the Rambler leave the shore a few hours before it capsized, there were three persons aboard, though the identity of the third is still a mystery.

Drowned in River Rouge.

Woodmere, Aug. 15.—The River Rouge was the scene of another drowning Sunday afternoon. The victim was William Logan, a young man 21 years of age, employed at the Detroit Sulphite Fibre Co. in Delray. With two companions Logan went in bathing just back of Woodmere cemetery. The banks of the Rouge slope abruptly into deep water. Logan, who was unable to swim, went beyond his depth, and before his two companions could rescue him he had sunk from sight beneath the waters. The body was recovered.

Hon. Perry Hannah Dying.

Traverse City, Mich., Aug. 15.—Hon. Perry Hannah, Traverse City's most prominent resident, is lying at the point of death at his home here, having suffered a stroke of paralysis. He came to Traverse City in 1851 with his partners, A. Tracy Lay, James and William Morgan of Chicago, buying the pine timber interests of Horace Boardman, including mills and several hundred acres of land on the present site of Traverse City. He has always been interested in promoting the growth of Traverse City and northern Michigan.

Dowie Rescued Three Women.

Whitehall, Mich., Aug. 15.—"Elijah" Dowie rescued three women from a watery grave. The women were sailing unattended in a sailing yacht belonging to George McDonald of Chicago and were out in the middle of the lake when a heavy wind caused their boat to capsize. Dowie saw the accident from the piazza of Ben MacDhui, his summer home. With his son Gladstone, Dowie ran for his launch and went out through the heavy sea to the rescue.

Big Water Power Project.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 15.—The firm of A. A. & E. B. Platt of this city has organized a stock company with \$500,000 capital, \$500,000 paid in, for the purpose of developing water privileges on the Grand river in this city and at Dimondale. An immense cement dam is being constructed here to take the place of the one carried off by the floods last spring, and with the Dimondale water power it is expected that a large amount of electric power can be generated.

Illegal Fishing.

Muskegon, Mich., Aug. 15.—Deputy Game Warden Franks lifted three hoop nets set in Muskegon lake, making a total of eighteen raised within the past month. Eleven John Doe warrants charging illegal fishing have been issued but no arrests have been made.

Goes Back to Prison.

Charlotte, Mich., Aug. 15.—Silas Powers, who was released from Jackson some time ago on a parole has been taken back to that institution because he had failed to make his monthly reports to the authorities, according to the conditions of his parole.

MICHIGAN BRIEFS.

Detroit's 1904-05 city directory places her present population at 391,650.

Burglars stole \$35 in cash and \$200 worth of gloves from Florence E. Grant's establishment in Battle Creek.

Farmers for miles around Lake Orion held a big barbecue at that resort Saturday. A whole ox was consumed. Unless the farmers around Crosswell raise more beefs next year the Sanitar Sugar Refining Co. threatens to move their establishment elsewhere.

August Chandler of Saginaw choked on a piece of steak while dining at a restaurant and before medical attendance could be secured he expired.

A severe hailstorm visited the locality of Minden City and did thousands of dollars worth of damage to gardens and unharvested crops.

Benjamin F. Dibble of Detroit, and janitor of Wayne county courthouse, fell from a launch into Lake St. Clair while on his way for a Sunday's outing and was drowned.

Morris, the son of W. B. Miller, a prominent lumberman of Tustin, was drowned in Center lake, a short distance from his home, by going beyond his depth while in bathing.

Charles Lang of Selo sought to get revenge on his employer for a kick given him "by the boss" by setting his buildings on fire. The damages total \$1,000, but Lang now languishes in jail for arson.

VETS OF LAST WAR

Four Hundred of Them Assembled at Bay City.

BIG STREET PARADE WAS HELD

Grand Army and Other Military Organizations United With the Boys—Speeches Made by Prominent Men—Future Is Bright.

Bay City, Mich., Aug. 16.—The Spanish war veterans, over 400 strong, are in possession of the city.

A business session was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when committees were appointed as follows by Commander George T. Gaston of Detroit: On credentials, Edwin Denby and Martin Whelan of Detroit; order of business, I. N. Kinney of Bay City, F. R. Schmalzriedt of Alpena; resolutions, E. E. Annaka of Bay City, Ed Nail and Leo L. Thomas of Pontiac; jergon of the guard, Herman Leofleur of Bay City.

Reports will be made today, at which session the election of officers will take place.

At 5 o'clock last evening there was a big parade of Spanish war veterans, A. A. R. posts and other military organizations, followed by an address of welcome at the park by Mayor F. T. Woodworth on behalf of the city and E. E. Annaka on behalf of the department of Michigan. Speeches were made by Congressman George A. Lord, Osoda and other dignitaries and a reception followed.

Commander Gaston said last evening that since the amalgamation of all the Spanish war veteran organizations the society is in a very flourishing condition and that the future is exceptionally bright.

Big Sunday School Day.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 16.—The annual Sunday school rally day celebration for western Michigan was held here Monday, the city being visited by more than 3,000 people. The exercises of the day were held at Epworth where in the afternoon Congressman William Alden Smith of Grand Rapids addressed a large audience in the auditorium, speaking on the subject, "Lessons from the life of McKinley." Late in the afternoon a heavy rain storm came on, which seriously marred the success of the day. Hundreds of people were drenched to the skin in hurrying to catch boat and train.

Shark Who Victimized Pedagogues.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 16.—John J. Ludwick, former secretary of the defunct Globe Food Co., has been arrested at Ottumwa, Ia., and brought to this city charged with defrauding a number of school teachers, men and women, to a total loss of about \$15,000. Mrs. Mary McMillen swore out the warrant. "It is charged that Ludwick sold stock in the 'dead' food company. It is said that the man bought up the stock at \$2 per share and then peddled it about to eager buyers as a 'cliché' at \$25 a share. The par value was \$100."

He Won't Do It Again.

Adrian, Mich., Aug. 16.—Leroy Kuney, who was convicted in January, 1903, in the circuit court for aiding an industrial home inmate to escape and whose case was appealed to the supreme court, where the finding of the lower court was confirmed, appeared before Judge Chester in the circuit court and was fined \$100 and \$200, making a total of \$300, and was given twenty-four hours to pay the same or in default to go to jail for fifteen months.

Good as a Side Show.

Houghton, Mich., Aug. 16.—Louis Moilenen, the tall young man of Quincy Hill, now an employee of the Quincy Mining Co., paid this city a visit. As he walked down the street, towering body, shoulders and head above every other man people looked at him in surprise. Moilenen is but 19 years of age and is still growing. His height he gave as 7 feet 5 inches. He weighs close to 200 pounds and has the strength of an ox. His parents are ordinary sized people.

Cornish Wrestling Tournament.

Calumet, Mich., Aug. 16.—Arrangements have been completed for one of the largest Cornish wrestling tournaments ever witnessed in northern Michigan. It will be pulled off in Lake Linden Sept. 3 and 4, and nearly all the cracks at the Cornish game in the state will be present. It is likely that a large number from Montana and other western states will also enter the tournament, as some large prizes will be hung up.

Thousands Saw Her Crowned.

Coldwater, Mich., Aug. 16.—In the presence of over 10,000 people here last evening Miss Maud Fenner of Quincy was crowned queen of the carnival by Mayor Campbell. This opening ceremony of the week's carnival was one of the prettiest sights that has ever been seen in this city. Mayor Campbell made an eloquent speech in crowning Miss Fenner, who is a very beautiful girl and a great favorite in her home town.

CRACK RIFLE SHOTS.

These Will Represent M. N. G. at Big Tournament.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 16.—The state rifle competition was finished in a drenching rain Monday afternoon, and the following men will represent the Michigan national guard at the annual rifle competition of the army, navy, marine corps and organized militia, which will be held at Fort Riley, Kan., Aug. 23:

Maj. C. A. Wagner, Port Huron, captain; Maj. George R. McCaugha, Owosso; Capt. D. H. Britton, Ypsilanti; Lieut. J. Dykema, Grand Haven; Lieut. A. C. Wilson, Ann Arbor; Lieut. Willard L. Case, Owosso; Lieut. C. E. Wilson, Ann Arbor; Lieut. C. A. Howard, Grand Rapids; First Sergt. George Hunt, Owosso; Sergt. A. B. Newton, Grand Rapids; Corp. E. George, Ann Arbor; Corp. Edward Lampore, Kalamazoo; Corp. Lower, Flint; Musician C. H. Schenck, Owosso; Private Walt, Lansing; Private Chalmers, Ann Arbor; Private Huff, Grand Rapids; Private Herald, Ypsilanti. Five members of the above team represented Michigan at the national meeting at Sea Girt, N. J., last year.

"Peg" Leg Gave Him Away.

Saginaw, Mich., Aug. 16.—Bullock & Lewis' general store was broken into at Freeland late at night and the thief made away with a good sized bag of swag. Among his plunder was a lot of clothing, tobacco, cigars, shoes, \$8 in money and two gold watches. Entrance was gained by prying up a back window with a chisel. Making a close inspection of the ground, especially right under the piled-open window, an officer made this observation: "Fifteen clearly defined heel marks, eight too marks." The officer immediately left the store and strolled down the country lane. He was gone some time but returned later with a man who proved to be Thomas Seeley, who has been in prison before for burglary. Seeley is a cripple, having lost his left leg above the knee, but he is nimble as an two-legged man in his "peg," which he always wears tipped with an ordinary shoe heel. This accounted for the unusual number of heel marks.

Opening of Steel Plant.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 16.—Sept. 1 is the date now set for the opening of the steel plant. Everything about the plant is in readiness to start work and the only wait is for materials and men. The management is sending notice to a number of steel workers, including many former employees, to report so that operations can be commenced the first of next month. The first ore for the blast furnaces is expected to arrive from Buffalo during the coming week.

That Powder Joke Settled.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 16.—The gunpowder case in which Byron Bailey was alleged to have put an explosive in William Pleski's tobacco pouch has been settled. The complaint was withdrawn, the prisoner paid the costs and the case was dismissed. It is understood that Bailey paid Pleski \$15 to settle the doctor's bill and pay for his lost time.

A City of Tents.

Cadillac, Mich., Aug. 16.—There are now nearly 500 people in tents on Lake Mitchell, where the Northern Michigan Baptist association is in session. Over 1,000 people from Cadillac visited the grounds and packed the auditorium to listen to addresses by Dr. Hartzog and H. R. Pattengill, former superintendent of public instruction.

Allows Requisition For Reinzer.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 16.—Governor Bliss has honored the requisition of the governor of Kansas for James E. Reinzer, wanted at Kansas City for embezzlement. He is under arrest at St. Joseph, Mich.

MICHIGAN BRIEFS.

The work of tabulating the population of Michigan by counties at the state capital is nearly completed, the returns from only a few townships not having been received.

The Muskegon Morning News, for years a Democratic organ, announces that hereafter it will be Republican, on the ground that the success of the Parker Davis ticket would be bad for the nation and state.

The proposition to bond Owosso for \$17,000 for more paving was lost by forty votes. In other years, when the sums of \$35,000 and \$27,000 were asked for, the propositions were carried easily.

Charles Meritt, George Anderson and Joseph Smith, three boys about 16 years of age, have run away from their homes in Port Huron and are headed for New York. They claimed they were going to win their fortune.

Fifteen owners of automobiles in Lansing have been complained of for violating the ordinance fixing the speed limit at eight miles an hour, and will be required to settle with Police Justice Roe. The offenders allege that the ordinance is unreasonable.

The military board has authorized Lieut. R. C. Vandercrook of Lansing to organize a battery detachment and signal corps in connection with Company E, First Infantry. Two three-inch caliber brass howitzers will be furnished for the use of the corps. This will be the only artillery corps connected with the Michigan national guard.

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Mr. H. F. Thompson, of Woodworth street, says: "I have had backache and kidney complaint for some time. Last fall I had a severe attack and was laid up for over two months. During that time I suffered the greatest pain imaginable. I could not get any rest at night; if I moved or made a sudden turn my back felt as though it were breaking in two. I recovered from the attack, but ever after when I worked hard I became lame and sore across the small of my back. I had an attack of it this summer, and when I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised I had my wife go to Byrnes & Rhodes' drug store and get a box. I took them as directed until the pain stopped. I have been working hard the last few days digging a ditch, and I don't feel a particle of pain in my back. I must give Doan's Kidney Pills the credit, for I haven't taken anything else. If anyone wishes any information regarding what Doan's Kidney Pills did for me I will be only too glad to answer any letters or tell them personally."

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